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**Application Data Sheet****Application Information**

Application Type:: Rule 53(b) Continuing Application of U.S. Application No. 09/481,503, filed January 12, 2000

Subject Matter:: Utility

CD-ROM or CD-R:: None

Title:: SURFACE INSPECTION METHOD, SURFACE INSPECTION APPARATUS, AND RECORDING MEDIUM AND DATA SIGNAL FOR PROVIDING SURFACE INSPECTION PROGRAM

Attorney Docket Number:: 105173.01

Suggested Drawing Figure::

Total Drawing Sheets:: 10

Small Entity:: No

**Applicant Information**

Applicant Authority type:: Inventor

Primary Citizenship Country:: Japan

Status:: Full Capacity

Given Name:: Koichiro

Middle Name::

Family Name:: KOMATSU

Name Suffix::

City of Residence:: Setagaya-ku

State or Province of Residence:: Tokyo

Country of Residence:: Japan

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Status::	Full Capacity
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Family Name::	OOMORI
Name Suffix::	
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<b>Domestic Priority Information</b>			
Application::	Continuity Type::	Parent Application::	Parent Filing Date::
This Application is a	Continuation of	09/481,503	01/12/00
This Application is a	Continuation of		MM / DD / YY
<b>Foreign Priority Information</b>			
Country::	Application Number::	Filing Date::	Priority Claimed::
Japan	11-006242	01/13/99	Yes
<b>Assignee Information</b>			
Assignee Name::	Nikon Corporation		
Street of mailing address::	2-3, Marunouchi 3-chome		
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